# News





14th October 2016

For information: Friday 21st October—Inset Day—School closed

24th -28th October—Inset Day—School closed

We are a "Get Reading. Keep Reading. Change Everything." school.

We use the highly successful *Read Write Inc.* Phonics programme to teach our children to read, write and spell. Our children do well in the phonics screening check and by Year 2, the majority are fluent readers with the best chance of success in the KS1 tests.

Ruth Miskin Training recognise us for teaching the programme with fidelity and passion – we know what it takes to make reading and writing pleasurable and rewarding for our children.

This badge recognises that we:

- Raise standards in reading and writing for our children
- Are all expertly trained by Ruth Miskin Training
- Gain the latest programme updates through regular visits from our Ruth Miskin trainer

Support our most vulnerable readers with extra one-to-one teaching every day.

To visit the parent pages on the Ruth Miskin Training website go to: http://www.ruthmiskin.com/en/parents/

To sign up to the Ruth Miskin Training newsletter go to: <a href="http://www.ruthmiskin.com/en/newsletter-subscribe/">http://www.ruthmiskin.com/en/newsletter-subscribe/</a>

You can also follow them on Facebook and Twitter.



#### Did you know?

Breakfast club runs from 8:00am to 8:35am. Alongside some great activities such as construction, board games and colouring, children can enjoy a healthy tasty breakfast.

Available every day are various cereals, fruit, toast, yoghurt and fruit juice, milk or water.

At a daily cost of £2.70 it is a great way to start the day!



#### Dropping off and collecting children.

Can we take this opportunity to remind parents that children should <u>not</u> be left on the school site ( in the conservatory or outside the Hall door) before 8 a.m. as there are no staff available to supervise them until then.

Please can parents/carers only come onto school premises after 3:00pm? Until this point children are still learning and are distracted by parents outside the classrooms. Also, they may still be on the playground completing PE lessons. This is a safeguarding issue so thank you for your co-operation in this matter.

### **Meeting teachers**

Although we are always happy to meet with parents / carers to discuss individual children, finding time in the morning at the classroom door is very difficult for teachers as they are busy greeting the children and encouraging them to come into class to a quiet Registration activity so that each child is calm and in the right frame of mind to start the day.

Should you have any questions, queries or problems, please make an appointment to see your child's teacher, at the end of the day, at the office. Alternatively, ask if Mrs Whitford is free to see you. If you have a pressing issue that needs to be addressed, a note to the class teacher would be very much appreciated.

#### **Parents Meetings**

These will be held during the first week back after the half-term. You will be able to make appointments via eschools or in the office.





Reception	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6	Overall School
93.55%	86.67%	92.67%	87.50%	91.43%	96.43%	95.33%	91.94%

#### Government satisfactory attendance for a pupil is 95%

Attendance is very important to every child's learning and we look forward to improving on these above figures in order to meet Government targets.

#### Medicine in school.

We are only able to administer medicine that has been prescribed by a doctor and is in the container showing the pharmacy label.

All medicines should be brought to the office and a request to administer medicine form must be completed.



Year 4 had a fascinating 'Victorian Experience Day' at Lanhydrock last week. They were lucky enough to have received a grant from Cornwall Heritage Trust to cover the cost of the transport. The children either became servants, children or other members of the family for the morning and have been very keen to share their new found expertise with each other back in class. During the visit, the adults were proud to hear comments from Lanhydrock staff and members of the public about the children's excellent behaviour and attitude to learning.

**19th October** Year 6 Class trip

**20th October** Year 1 & 2 class trip

**21st October** INSET day—School Closed

**24th—28th October** Half Term Holiday

**11th November** Individual photographs

**23rd November** Year 5 Class Assembly

**15th December** Last day of term—School closes at 1:30pm

16th December INSET DAY—School Closed

19th December—3rd January Christmas Holidays



# Treverbyn Award Winners



# Stars of the week

Year 1: Addison & Lexi

Year 2: Madison & Regan

Year 3: Rodrigo

Year 4: Abigale

Year 5: Leven & Charlie

Year 6: Corey & Kyle



Year 1: Harry

Year 2 Jake

Year 3: Ella

Year 4: Lucy

Year 5: Alfie E

Year 6: Jake H

## **Behaviour Awards**

Year 3: Connor Year 4: William Year 5: Emma

Year 6: Charlotte



Mrs Whitford's Special Awards: Tamali & Jake H in year 6